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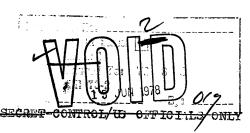
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- 1.A Pailroadman from Alba Rulia (R 26/Q 83) said that four Simeria (R 25/Q 31) bound Soviet military trains passed through the Alba Julia railroad station at about 10 p.m. 19 April 1950, 3 a.m., 3 p.m., and 8 p.m. 20 April 1950. Each train consisted of about 45 railroad cars.
- 2. The first two trains, which proceeded to Lugoj (R 25/U 50) via Ilia (R 26/U 02), carried guns and canvas-covered tanks with very long gun barrels.
- The other two trains were dispatched to area (R 16/U 16). Their cargo could not be determined.\*
- 25X1A The trains which probably went to the Timisoara rad area may have carried a tank or mechanized regiment, according to the number of railroad cars reported. The shipping station and the identity of the unit are not known.

It is also possible that the trains carried only replacements or supplies. One trad-bound military train and another Simeria-bound military train were reported to have passed through Alba rulia in November and December 1949. It is considered possible that all these shipments belonged to a unit which several reports since November 1949 indicate is stationed in the Timisoara-Arad area (Banat).



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